

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:399
ANSWERED ON:09.08.2002
SCHEMES FOR DISABLED
PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL;SHIVRAJ SINGH CHOUHAN

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the schemes being extended for the welfare of the disabled in the country at present alongwith the institutes set up for the welfare of the disabled, State-wise;
- (b) the total amount sanctioned and actually spent under these schemes during the last three years;
- (c) whether the Government propose to set up more of such institutes in the States during the next two years; and
- (d) if so, the State-wise details thereof and if not, the reasons therefore?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA)

(a) to (d) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) to (d) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 399 FOR ANSWER ON 9.8.2002 RAISED BY SHRI SHIVRAJ SINGH CHOUHAN & SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL REGARDING SCHEMES FOR DISABLED.

(a) & (b) The Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment implements two major schemes for persons with disabilities, viz., (a) Scheme for Promotion of Voluntary Action for Persons with Disabilities (Umbrella Scheme) and (b) Scheme of Assistance to Disabled Persons for Purchase and Fitting of Aids and Appliances (ADIP Scheme). There are also six apex institutions under the aegis of this Ministry working for welfare and rehabilitation of persons with disabilities as follows:

1. National Institute for the Mentally Handicapped (NIMH), Secunderabad, A.P.
2. Ali Yavar Jung National Institute for the Hearing Handicapped (AYJNIHH), Mumbai, Maharashtra.
3. National Institute for the Orthopaedically Handicapped (NIOH), Kolkata, West Bengal.
4. National Institute for the Visually Handicapped (NIVH), Dehradun, U.P.
5. Institute for the Physically Handicapped (IPH), Delhi.
6. National Institute for the Rehabilitation, Training & Research (NIRTAR), Cuttack, Orissa.

These Institutes conduct short and long-term training programmes, provide rehabilitation services and organize outreach services.

2. In addition, the Ministry is providing equity support to National Handicapped Finance and Development Corporation (NHFDC), modernization grants to Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India Limited (ALIMCO) and is supporting Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI), National Trust for welfare of persons with autism, cerebral palsy, mental retardation and multiple disabilities, Indian Spinal Injury Centre (ISIC), Composite Regional Centres (CRCs) for persons with disabilities, Regional Rehabilitation Centres (RRCs) for persons with spinal injuries, etc. with grant in aid assistance. Details of allocation and expenditure during 1999-2000 to 2001-2002 are at Annexure.

(c) & (d) The budget estimates for the current financial year include proposals to set up a National Institute for Multiple Disabilities and a College of Rehabilitation Sciences.

ANNEXURE - I
(Rs. in crore)

Allocation and Expenditure under the schemes of Disabilities Sector for 1999-2000 to 2001-2002

Sl. No.	Bureau/Scheme	1999-2000		2000-01		2001-2002	
		BE	Exp	BE	Exp	BE	Exp

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1	NIVH, Dehradun	2.50	2.50	2.25	2.60	2.25	2.74
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2 NIOH, Calcutta	2.50	2.50	2.25	1.12	2.25	1.55	
3 NIHH, Mumbai	2.90	0.00	2.63	2.63	2.61	2.61	
4 NIMH	3.30	3.30	2.97	3.32	2.97	3.49	
5 NIRTAR, Cuttack	3.71	4.08	3.60	3.60	3.60	3.60	
6 IPH, New Delhi	1.50	1.50	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35	
7 NIMH, Chennai	0.50	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.90	0.00	
8 ALIMCO, Kanpur	6.35	6.35	6.75	0.00	5.40	5.40	
9 Scheme of Assistance to Desabled persons for purchase/fitting of Aids and Appliances	30.00	28.42	28.70	29.01	42.41	43.44	
10 Scheme to promote voluntary action for persons with disability	62.29	53.97	55.00	62.12	58.50	60.86	
11 Science and Technology Mission Mode	1.00	0.68	1.00	0.30	2.70	1.04	
12 Employment of the Handicapped	1.45	0.78	1.60	0.97	1.44	1.54	
13 Indian Spinal Injury Centre	7.00	5.43	2.25	2.30	2.02	2.07	
14 Rehabilitation Council of India	15.50	1.95	7.00	3.75	2.70	2.40	
15 National Trust for Persons with Mental Retardation	10.00	4.00	44.00	44.00	37.80	51.00	
16 NHFDC	20.00	10.00	12.00	0.00	9.00	0.00	
17 National Rehabilitation Prog. for the persons with Disabilities	5.00	5.00	43.00	55.52	39.25	43.61	
18 Schemes arising out of the impl. Of the Persons with Disabilities (equal Opportunities, Protection of right and full participation Act, 1995	3.50	3.50	11.75	4.01	12.37	8.70	